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Mr. L. K. White  
Deputy Director  
Central Intelligence Agency  
2430 E Street, N. W.  
Washington, D. C. 20505

Dear Mr. White:

This is in reply to your letter of November 1, 1963, concerning Armed Forces participation in the Central Intelligence Agency's Christmas Program to be held on December 16, 1963. We have authorized the United States Navy "Sea Chanters" to participate in your program. A representative of the "Sea Chanters" will discuss detailed arrangements directly with [REDACTED] as you have requested.

We are pleased to have been of assistance to you and wish you a successful Christmas program.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "John J. Christy".  
JOHN J. CHRISTY  
Colonel USA

Deputy Director, Special Activities

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"5. General Carter called to inquire about Agency Christmas plans. I told him that they were under way but that if he had any specific ideas we would certainly appreciate them. He said that he had none at the moment but hoped that we would have a program at least as good as, and if possible better than, last year's and offered to be of any assistance he could."

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